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SUBJECT: COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN OPPOSED TO REVERSE PREFERENCES

1. CARIFTA COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MET IN PORT OF SPAIN
IN CONJUNCTION WITH JULY 4 SIGNING OF TREATY ESTABLISHING
A CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY, WITH CARIBBEAN COMMON MARKET ANNEX.
PERMANENT SECRETARY, GOTT MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND COMMERCE,
CONFIRMS NEWSPAPER REPORT THAT COUNCIL DECIDED THAT REVERSE
PREFERENCES SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED BY COMMONWEALTH CARIBBEAN
TO EUROPEAN COMMUNITY. ACCORDING TO HIM DOMINICA RAISED
SUBJECT AND ENTIRE COUNCIL AGREED NOT TO OFFER ANY REVERSE
PREFERENCES AND TO RESIST IF EC ASKS FOR THEM. HE SAYS THIS
FIRST FORMAL DECISION ON SUBJECT, AND ASSOCIATED STATES AND
BELIZE AS WELL AS INDEPENDENT BARBADOS, JAMAICA, GUYANA, AND
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, ALL IN ACCORD.
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